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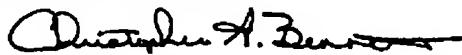
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**Comments:**

Examiner Chang:

Please find attached a response to Election of Species Requirement to be filed in the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,



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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Akira KATO Serial No.: 10/725,131 Filing Date: December 1, 2003 For: CRYSTAL OSCILLATOR DEVICE AND ELECTRONIC APPARATUS USING THE SAME	Art Unit: 2817 Examiner: J. Chang
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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

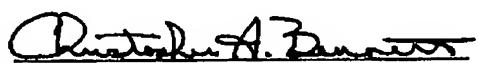
In response to the Election Requirement issued on May 11 2005, Applicant elects Species 1: Figures 2A and 2B, including Claims 1, 2 and 5-9 for prosecution in the present application. Claim 1 is generic. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant(s) hereby reserve(s) the right to file a Divisional Application to pursue prosecution of the non-elected Species 2 and 3.

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Applicant respectfully submits that this application is in condition for allowance.  
Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the present application are  
respectfully requested.

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